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- 2. I am an inventor of this application and signing below, hereby declare that Bach Dao and Jan Peter Vijn did not contribute to the common subject matter between U.S. Patent No. 6,601,647 and the present patent application.
- 3. I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001 and the such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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